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Thank you for your understanding and patience as we all try to get through these difficult and dangerous times.

Mayor's Commemorative Landscape Task Force September 29, 2021 at 12:00 PM

Agenda

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Presentation by Donna Rogers-Beard
- 3. CCF History Display Discussion
- 4. Next Steps and Recommendations
 - a. Review Comments/Suggestions on Recommendation for Portrait of Ralph Clayton
 - b. List of Commemorative Landscape and Artwork
- 5. Next Meeting: October 27, 2021 at noon
- 6. Public Comment
- 7. Comments from Members
- 8. Adjourn

The City of Clayton

Mayor's Commemorative Landscape Task Force

Virtual Zoom Meeting

August 25, 2021 at 12:00 PM

Meeting Notes

The meeting was called to order at 12:05 pm.

<u>Present:</u> Mayor Michelle Harris, Gwen Moore, Geoff Ward, Chris Schmiz, and Katie Lerwick.

<u>Additional Participants:</u> Meridith McKinley with Via Partnership, Director of Parks & Recreation Patty DeForrest, Report Dick Weiss, and Assistant to the City Manager Andrea Muskopf

Welcome

Mayor Harris welcomed everyone.

Next Steps and Recommendations

Review and Finalize Recommendations for Portrait of Ralph Clayton

A small subcommittee was formed to support Clayton Community Foundation (CCF) in the content creation for the display at the CCF History Center. The subcommittee includes Chris Schmiz, Mayor Harris, Katie Lerwick, and Gwen Moore. The group will work with Director of Parks & Recreation Patty DeForrest and CCF Foundation Administrator Alex Elmestad.

List of Commemorative Landscape and Artwork

The Task Force will begin to work on recognizing the black community comprehensively.

Follow-up Items

- <u>Subcommittee Items</u>
 - o Patty DeForrest will set up subcommittee meeting.
 - Gwen Moore and staff will work on research for the display.

Other

- Mayor Harris will provide the Task Force with an update on her conversation/meeting with Donna Rogers-Beard.
- Mayor Harris will invite Donna Rogers-Beard to the next Task Force Meeting on September 29.
- Mayor Harris will reach out to University City to inquire about the status of their work on renaming various streets.
- Patty DeForrest will share the link to the Ottocast App and list of the CCF History markers along with their descriptions.
- Andrea Muskopf will send out the most recent version of the Ralph Clayton Portrait Recommendation for final review.
- Andrea Muskopf will follow-up with Janna Añonuevo Langholz on dates for the walking tour.

Next MeetingThe next meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 29th at noon.

Adjourn
The meeting adjourned at 1:15 pm.